



## Green Economy Map

Plotting California's Green Economic Growth



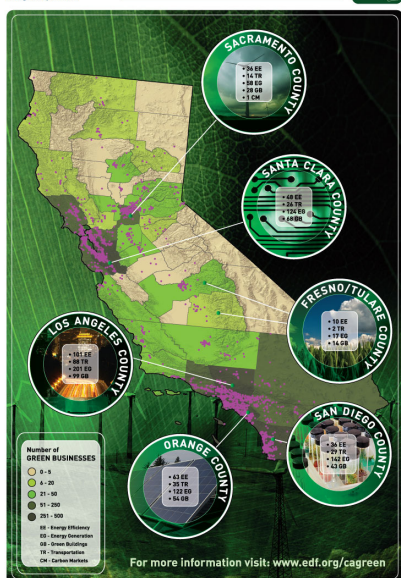
**Most wide-reaching and up-to-date interactive map of the California Green Economy at [www.edf.org/cagreen](http://www.edf.org/cagreen)**

Environmental Defense Fund's newest [mapping project](#) shows that California's green economy reaches every major metropolitan area in the state. Los Angeles (489), Orange (275) and Santa Clara (265) counties have the most businesses in the map's sectors: low-carbon energy; energy efficiency; transportation; green building and carbon markets. Mid-size and smaller counties are also benefitting, as evidenced by green companies throughout Fresno/Tulare (43), Chico (28), Santa Cruz (36) and Truckee (10) counties, among others.



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Check out EDF's blog post about the map, [Innovate & Grow](#):

*"The Chairman of the Federal Reserve recently called the nation's economic outlook "unusually uncertain."*

*Here's something that is certain: California has a growing green economy. Want proof? Check out an updated, first-of-its-kind [map](#) compiled by Environmental Defense Fund that features 3,500-plus entities providing green solutions or using sustainable practices to improve bottom lines. The map is searchable by industry categories, county and state legislative districts.*

*"The green economy today represents the future and we are committed to partnering with leaders throughout California to foster innovation and emerging technologies that move our state forward," said Governor's Office of Economic Development Director Joel Ayala. "By designing California's Green Economy Map, Environmental Defense Fund has provided a critical tool for connecting green*

*businesses and consumers which, in turn, can potentially lead to further increased economic activity along California's Green Corridor."*

(To read the entire blog post, click [here](#).)

This map is a resource for business owners, policy makers, job seekers, and those interested in learning about opportunities in the growing green economy. Listings were generated after two years of research and combining those findings with resources from partners including the [Climate Change Business Journal](#) and [California Business Alliance for a Green Economy](#).

Businesses that they are not currently listed can [submit their information and description](#) through the website. Information will be reviewed by EDF staff and added to the database.

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